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The Cheap John

NEW BARGAIN CLOTHING HOUSE,

The Cheapest place in Owosso to buy Clothing—Read the following prices and be convinced:

Gents' Furnishing Goods...

Heavy Overshirts, worth 35c, our price..... 25c
Heavy Jersey Overshirts, worth 50c, our price..... 40c
Heavy All-wool Overshirts, worth \$1.00 and \$1.25, our price..... 75c
Heavy Underwear, big bargain for. 25c
Heavy All-wool Fleece-lined Underwear, worth 75c, at..... 50c
Heavy Gray Wool Shirts, worth 50c, our price..... 35c
One line Ladies' Underwear, worth 35c, at..... 25c
Cotton Socks, worth 5c, at..... 3c
Heavy All-wool Socks..... 20c
Suspenders, worth 25c, at..... 10c
Leather Suspenders at..... 15c
Mittens and Gloves at wholesale prices.
Woolen Mittens, worth 25c, at..... 7c
White Laundry Shirts, worth 50c and 75c, at..... 40c
The best Overall in the world, they are sold all over for 75c, our price..... 45c
Plush Caps, worth 50c and 75c, our price..... 35c
Heavy Cloth Caps, excellent value, 25c
Heavy Beaver Caps, worth 50c and 75c, at..... 35c
Duck Coats..... 25c
Fine Dress Shirts, worth \$1.00, at..... 75c
Men's Single Vests at 50c, 75c and \$1.00

Shoes...

300 pairs Shoes, sizes 9, 10 and 11, all odd sizes, we will close them out at One-half Price.

Clothing...

Heavy All-wool Suits, worth \$10.00, our price..... \$6.50
Working Suits..... 3.00
All-wool Suits, worth \$8.00, at..... 4.90

Overcoats...

Fine Dress Beaver Coat, worth \$10.00, at..... \$6.50
Heavy All-wool Chinchilla, worth \$15.00, at..... 9.00
One lot of Overcoats at..... 2.50
One lot of Overcoats at..... 4.50

Pants...

One lot of fine Clay Worsted Pants worth \$4.50, at..... \$3.00
One lot of fine Tailor-made Pants, worth \$4.00, at..... 2.50
One lot Heavy Dressing Pants, worth \$2.00, at..... 1.25
One lot of Cassimere Pants, worth \$3.00, at..... 1.75
Good Heavy Working Pants, worth \$1.50, at..... 1.00
Special bargains in Children's Suits.
Boys' Knee Pants at..... 10c

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

The Plant of the Owosso Casket Works Damaged to the Amount of \$40,000.

NIGHTWATCHMAN WILCOX KILLED.

The extensive plant of the Owosso Casket Works, L. E. Woodard, proprietor, was visited by a destructive fire early Wednesday morning—the second one since the plant was built 13 years ago. How or just where the fire originated will never be known. The first alarm was sent in at 5:30 by city Nightwatchman Cady from box 16 near the M. G. depot, who was patrolling his beat at that point. As soon as he located the fire a second alarm was sent in from box 16. The fire department made a quick run and in a few minutes had several streams of water playing on the fire in the south brick building, which by this time had become a veritable furnace, the water having but little effect. The Sissy was sent for and soon was throwing water drawn from Comstock creek, but the firemen were unable to make much headway against the flames, which licked up the freshly varnished caskets, the cloth goods, etc., with lightning rapidity. The fire soon claimed as its victim the wooden building to the north of the brick, which was filled with finished stock, both the building and all the goods being totally destroyed. The fire by this time had spread to the small brick building between the south and the middle building and it was soon ruined. The middle building was on fire several times, but the firemen were able to control the flames and saved the building, the contents being damaged by the smoke. This is in brief the story of the fire. The brick building destroyed was 50x100 feet, four stories high. The loss will reach a number of thousand dollars above the insurance.

The saddest part of the fire was the death of Frank Wilcox, the nightwatchman. Mr. Wilcox was found by Marshal Barrisford, firemen Edwards and Matthews in the northeast corner, first floor of the brick connection, lying on his face, dead. Nearby was a Babcock extinguisher which he had used in his endeavor to extinguish the flames. The body was taken from the building, viewed by a jury summoned by Coroner Monroe and turned over to Woodard & North. The jury decided that Wilcox came to his death by suffocation while endeavoring to put out the fire. Mr. Wilcox had been employed as watchman for twenty months and was regarded as a thoroughly reliable man for the position. He met death in an endeavor to do his duty toward his employer. Mr. Wilcox was 35 years of age, an Englishman by birth, and so far as known had no relatives in this country. His funeral occurred this morning.

The work of rebuilding will be commenced by Mr. Woodard just as soon as the losses are adjusted by the insurance companies. Meanwhile work will be carried forward in the buildings remaining. It is expected that the factory will start up again on Monday.

The loss to Mr. Woodard will be quite large enough to discourage any ordinary man but with the indomitable courage with which he has met losses in the past he will soon again be in shape to meet the demands of his large trade.

Bennington.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kline, of Bennington, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Wednesday, when at 11 o'clock, their daughter Emma, was united in marriage to Arthur Finch, of the same township, Rev. F. Klump, formerly of Owosso, performing the ceremony. The house was beautifully trimmed with roses and carnations and white and yellow ribbon, adding not a little to the delight of the occasion. Guests to the number of 100, nearly all relatives, were present, and promptly at the hour the happy couple took their place under a canopy of ribbons, attended by Corbett Leland as groomsmen and Miss Amelia Kline as bridesmaid. The wedding march was played by Miss Jennie Finch, a sister of Mr. Finch. After the ceremony, congratulations and best wishes were showered upon Mr. and Mrs. Finch. Both have a large circle of friends who can truly congratulate them on their happy union. The young people are well known and highly esteemed in the community; both are active in church and other good work. The future looks bright for them and with no ill luck theirs should be a life of usefulness and happiness. A bounteous wedding dinner was served, after which the newly wedded couple left for a wedding trip to points in southern Michigan and Ohio. They were accompanied to the train by about 40 of the guests who gave them a perfect shower of rice as they boarded the train. The guests learned later that Mr. and Mrs. Finch had only gone as far as Lansingburg, intending to remain there with the latter's sister until the next day, and about 25 of them drove to that village, giving them a surprise and a second rice shower.

Mr. and Mrs. Finch were the recipients of a large number of valuable and useful presents.

Corunna.

The jurors at the present term of court are under great obligations to Judge Smith for his kind consideration of their health, which is shown in his determination not to send a jury out to consider a verdict so they would be obliged to remain in the court house at night. There are many persons who can trace serious illness, if not fatal disease, to the fact of having to remain in the court house during the cold winter night. It is had enough to be obliged to be there during the day and it is positively dangerous to remain there all night. The court house is a disgrace to the county and should be replaced by one that would meet the necessities of a civilized people. Judge Smith is not to blame for this condition of things and cannot be too highly commended for the good common sense shown in protecting the jurors' health.—Dr. Chas. W. Shickie, of Bennington, has moved to this city and entered into partnership with Dr. W. C. Hume for the practice of medicine.—Dr. J. H. Webster, father of Mrs. J. D. Royce, left Tuesday for a visit with a brother and other relatives near Rochester, N. Y.—S. S. Chapell left Tuesday forenoon for Washington, D. C., to remain with his son, Hon. W. R. Chapell, during the winter. He has been troubled with rheumatism lately and hopes to be relieved in that milder climate.—Attorney S. S. Miner, of Owosso, has been retained by the mother and sisters of the late Frank M. Smith, of Livingston county. Mr. Miner will prosecute claims against the estate for from \$2,000 to \$3,000. The day of hearing in the probate court of the above named county will be Dec. 17.—Journal.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Cooper, of Bennington, mourns the death of their daughter, Lillian May, who died Tuesday evening.

A SPECIAL DAY

Held by the Ladies Literary Club of St. Johns, to which the Ladies of the Owosso Literary Clubs were invited.

"The day is cold, and dark, and dreary; It rains;—
Thus meditated the women of the Literary Clubs of this city last Saturday morning, as they looked out upon the weather, having anticipated a trip to St. Johns in response to an invitation from the Ladies Literary Club to attend one of their "Special Day" programs.

The weather was forbidding to be sure, but then there was a social obligation and a pleasure in store for them, which after all they only half-guessed at, for the rumors which reached them of the preparation being made for their entertainment gave them but a vague idea of what that entertainment was to be. It was hinted that they would "see the Indians," but who would have guessed that that most charming and pathetic story, "Ramona," by Helen Hunt, had been dramatized by some of the ladies of the St. Johns club expressly for this occasion, and was to be presented for them in a manner that artists of renown might envy.

Owosso ladies are brave, as has been proven in times past, and thirty two of them reached the depot through the storm a full half hour before train time, which on ordinary occasions would be an unheard of thing. It was evident that none of them wanted to "get left," and from the time they stepped on the train and were rushed into the chair car for lack of room anywhere else, till they stepped off the common car at night, which had been put on for their special benefit (?) the weather was forgotten, and for once was a topic that was ignored; and we feel sure that if any one of the ladies had been consulted on the subject she would have said "It has been a day of sunshine, so warm was the welcome, so bright and cheery were the parlors of 'The Stock,' at which hotel the guests were entertained during the afternoon.

Arriving at St. Johns just about noon, the ladies were served to a light lunch after having received a warm hand shake with a pleasant word from each of their hostesses and being presented with a carnation, the meaning of which was soon revealed as each Owosso lady was confronted by a St. Johns lady with this, or a similar remark: "Oh, I shall claim you as my girl, for your flower matches mine," and from that moment they were certain of not having to stand around and gaze into space for the want of some one to talk to.

Soon there was a hush of voices, and it was discovered that the program had commenced. Mrs. E. L. Dooling was announced for a vocal solo, which she rendered in a voice that showed culture and refinement.

The guests were then conducted up stairs and seated in the corridor, across one end of which had been erected a stage, fitted up with scenery and curtains.

The first number on the program was a recitation by Mrs. F. A. Travis, entitled "Cradle-bow, from 'Cape Cod Folks,' which gave in a pleasing manner. Then a paper, 'Glimpses of American Women,' was read by Mrs. M. Weller, in which she referred to the grand work done by Harriet Beecher Stowe when she gave to this country her book "Uncle Tom's Cabin." She also referred in a touching manner to the work being done in the present day by Mrs. Haltington Booth and by Clara Barton.

Next a synopsis of the story of "Ramona" was given by Mrs. E. L. Smith, after which followed the presentation of the drama. Words cannot express the delight with which the guests witnessed this most charming production. The characterization was fine, and the pathos of the play was such that most of the ladies were glad that the room was not very light as many of them were smothering sobs or stealthily wiping a tear that would fall, when suddenly from the rear of the hall came a sonorous blow which sent a sigh of relief through the room.

The following was the cast of characters: Ramona—Mrs. F. J. Ward
Alessandro—Mrs. W. H. Brunson
Senora Moreno, Father Salvador, —Mrs. F. A. Travis
Felipe—Mrs. E. T. Hughes
Margarita—Mrs. E. L. Dooling.

The impersonations were equally good. The guests felt when this feast was over that they were "too full for utterance," but it seemed that the program was to be continued in the dining hall below, where the ladies were conducted and served to a course dinner, after which the toastmaster, Mrs. W. H. Castle, announced a toast to "Our Guests," by Mrs. M. Babcock, and the welcome she gave only supplemented that which had been manifest during the whole day.

"The Social Side of Life," was responded to by Mrs. E. F. Dudley, of Owosso, in her usual happy style. Her closing words were from Burns, which, as one of the ladies remarked, "left a sweet flavor in one's mouth as a toast should."

In response to the toast, "Our Federation," Mrs. Wm. M. Kilpatrick, of Owosso, showed a familiarity with club work which enabled her to handle her subject with ease and in a pleasing manner.

In closing the program the toastmaster said they were proud to have with them a State officer, Mrs. L. E. Gould, of Owosso, who would speak to them on the State Federation. In response Mrs. Gould said that Owosso had become so accustomed to having a State officer that she was not at all puffed up, and that the remarks were short but to the point, and full of humor. The Owossoites were justly proud of her.

The time for departure came all too soon, as the toastmaster announced that the bus was in waiting, and the rest of the program would have to be dispensed with.

The ladies returned home feeling that it had been a day well spent, and that it had been a "special day" to them as well as to the St. Johns club.

The ladies who represented the Owosso clubs were as follows:

Current Topic Club—Mrs. Chas. S. Williams, Mrs. L. E. Gould, Mrs. W. E. Collins, Mrs. Albert Todd, Mrs. Fred Osburn, Mrs. E. F. Dudley, Mrs. Morris Osburn, Miss Mary Hender son, Mrs. C. W. Gale, Mrs. C. D. Stewart, Mrs. Albert West, Mrs. A. E. Stever, Mrs. Chas. Howard, Mrs. J. B. Perkins, Mrs. E. O. Dewey, Mrs. Minnie Dennis, (Ovid).

Woman's Literary Club—Mrs. Wm. M. Kilpatrick, Mrs. L. E. Gould, Mrs. C. W. Gale, Mrs. H. K. White, Mrs. J. J. Davis, Mrs. G. L. Taylor, Mrs. Ida Langerwisch, Mrs. Chas. Goodwin, Mrs. D. W. Watters, Mrs. L. A. Hamblin, Mrs. A. M. Hume, Misses Stearns, Jones, Seely, Morrice, Webster, Miner, Peterson.

Circuit Court.

The People vs. Cahoon, selling liquor without a license. Plead guilty; fined \$40 and \$20 costs.

The People vs. Lewis Goff, forfeiture of recognizance. Stricken from calendar.

The People vs. John Edgar, appeal from justice court. Continued.

Martin E. Miller vs. The Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee Ry. Co., trespass on the case. S. S. Miner—E. W. Meddaugh, John T. McCurdy of counsel. Notice for trial countermanded.

Hugh A. Holmes, administrator, etc., vs. Milo A. Rowley, assumpsit. Kilpatrick & Pierpont—F. P. Bumps. Improperly noticed and stricken from calendar.

Charles F. Collier vs. The Owosso Mfg. Co., trespass on the case. Watson & Chapman—Van R. Pond. Case settled.

George Montgomery vs. Clarence D. Colby, trespass on the case. Arthur D. Prosser—Kilpatrick & Pierpont. Discontinued.

Chas. McKone vs. John Spears, trespass on the case. John T. McCurdy—Watson & Chapman, Knight & Collins. Discontinued.

The People vs. James Quigley, burglary. Convicted and sentenced to State house of correction, Ionia, for two years.

The People vs. David Davis, disposing of chattel mortgaged property. Tried and acquitted.

The People vs. Darwin E. Herrick, rape. Tried, convicted and sentenced to the State prison at Jackson for life.

The People vs. Maria Seranton, appeal from justice court conviction on charge of assault and battery. Fine imposed in justice court paid and defendant discharged.

The case of J. A. Morrice, administrator estate of John Hinkley, vs. Eleanor J. Hinkley. Dismissed.

The trial of the case of Edward Rohrbacher vs. Lyman E. Woodard occupied the attention of the court most of last week. The case grew out of the plaintiff having one of his hands injured Dec. 7, 1895, on a surface while working at the Woodard factory. The plaintiff's attorneys, Watson & Chapman, claimed that the machine was not safe to work upon and do the work required. The defendant's attorneys, Van R. Pond, Hon. J. W. Turner and T. W. Whitney, contended that the plaintiff, by working upon the machine after his hand became well, admitted by so doing that the machine was as safe as any of its kind. The discussions were deep and thorough, not a point being dropped until it was forcibly put before the jury. The jury was out from early in the morning until 4 p. m., when the judge called them in, and received word that they could not agree, being equally divided. It is thought the case will be tried again, as it is a case of much interest and involves a question of liability on the part of the employer. The case on both sides was splendidly presented. Van R. Pond was complimented on all sides for the manner in which he handled the defense, his associate, T. W. Whitney stating that he had rarely ever known an attorney to come into court with his case better prepared for trial than did Mr. Pond in this one.

Charles Sutliff vs. John Dillon, trespass on the case. Watson & Chapman—John T. McCurdy. Verdict for plaintiff of \$23.

Cora Belle Van Court refused to plead to the charge of concealing stolen property. Plead not guilty entered. A. E. Richards appointed to defend.

Fred Parr, convicted at the September term of indecent exposure, was ordered to appear at the February term for sentence.

Albert Peterson, charged with abducting the Dickinson child, was arraigned and plead not guilty. A. E. Richards was appointed to defend him.

Alex. Cummin vs. Stephen Baldwin, administrator of the estate of Alex. Cummin, deceased, appeal from Probate court. Wm. E. Cummin—T. E. Tarnsey. Continued.

John G. Hartman vs. John G. Haller, trespass on the case. T. J. Horsman—Lyon & Hadsall, H. H. Pulver. Continued.

George W. Burke vs. James Dunn, appeal from justice court. F. P. Bumps—W. F. Cairnes, John T. McCurdy. Judgment for plaintiff of \$168.75.

Arthur D. Prosser vs. George Montgomery, appeal from justice court. Arthur D. Prosser—H. H. Pulver. Judgment of no cause of action.

The People vs. George Montgomery, et al., assumpsit. A. L. Chandler—Watson & Chapman. This suit was commenced to recover on a forfeited recognizance. Verdict for people of \$500.

William P. Purcell vs. George Montgomery, assumpsit. Richard R. Stewart—Watson & Chapman. Plaintiff non-suited.

William Wilcox vs. Margaret Wilcox, divorce. F. F. Bumps. Decree granted.

Leroy Drake vs. Esther Drake, divorce. The court ordered the complainant to pay defendant \$1.50 a week, \$10 witness fees, and \$25 solicitors fees.

Vernon.

The South Vernon Farmers' Club was entertained on Thursday at the home of Mrs. Eliza Yerkes. There was a good attendance and a very pleasant meeting.—Wm. Fleming has moved his family to Durand.—Z. Youngs and wife are home from Alma.—Miss Beatrice Liddell and William Olney were married on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 1st, by Rev. Halliday, at the home of the bride's parents in Venice. About eighty guests were present. The couple were the recipients of many valuable and useful presents. They are both well known here and have the best wishes of all. They will make their home in Durand.—The funeral of William Clark was held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. F. Patne, on Sunday, Nov. 28th.—John Reynolds has his new greenhouse nearly completed.—Mrs. D. Jewell entertained her niece from Detroit the past week.—E. Merritt has moved into the Marshall house.—The death of Miss Hattie Lemmon cast a gloom over our whole town. Miss L. was trimming a hat in Miss Young's millinery store, when she suddenly dropped over and was dead. Her mother, sister and brother were nearly overwhelmed with grief. The funeral took place at the Congregational church on Monday afternoon, Nov. 29. Deceased was nearly 95 years of age.—Mrs. D. Harrington enjoyed a visit from her sister from Detroit last week.—J. Patterson and wife were in Owosso on Friday.—Fred Shultz is home again.—Cyrus Case and Arthur Shaw left for Chicago on Monday evening. They will attend the horse sale.—A Shakespeare club is being organized here. It will meet on Monday evenings.

Geo. Hutchinson, of Jackson, shook hands with Owosso friends yesterday.

McInty has again arisen from his watery grave and will be pleased to meet the children of his former acquaintance at the Congregational bazaar next week.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.



Local News.

Vernon Hubbard spent Sunday in Maple Rapids.

Will Gardner is spending the week in St. Johns.

R. F. Janette is at home to remain during the winter.

H. Waldo Holman is home to remain for several weeks.

Born, on Wednesday, to Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Goodwin, a son.

S. D. Emery has paid out since Oct. 20, nearly \$14,000 for poultry.

Owosso lodge F. & A. M. will visit Corunna lodge Tuesday evening.

Mrs. George M. Edwards visited St. Johns friends the first of the week.

Fletcher Connor is visiting Grand Rapids friends. His health is somewhat improved.

Albert West left yesterday for New York and other eastern points, to be gone about ten days.

Brands & Thompson, of Kerby, sold 167 lambs in Buffalo, N. Y., on Friday last for \$5.75 per hundred.

Ernest Gould has entered the Michigan Agricultural College to take up the course in cheese making and dairying.

Mrs. H. E. Royce returned to Lansingburg, Wednesday, after visiting her sons, L. P. and J. D. Royce, several days.

Maccabee oyster supper at Harryman's hall, Bennington, Dec. 11th. Everybody cordially invited to come and have a good supper.

Mrs. Hattie E. Goss has moved into her new residence on North Adams street. The building was erected by contractor L. P. Royce, and is a credit to him.

Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Hunt entertained the Episcopal choir boys at supper last evening. After supper the older members of the church dropped in and a social time was had.

The fire department was called out twice early this morning the first time to the store building and dwelling of John C. Hochstadt, on Chipman street. Considerable damage was done by fire and water, all the goods being practically destroyed. The second alarm came from the Casket Works, fire having started in the ruins of Wednesday's fire.

On Wednesday Justice McCaugha bound Hiram A. Pickens and Simon Sharpe over for trial in the circuit court, charged with burglary from the barn of Eli Martin, of Caledonia. In default of \$1,000 bail they are guests of Sheriff Scougale. Their cases will undoubtedly be tried at this term of court and conviction is almost certain to follow. A good long term of imprisonment is what the public desires to see them receive.

Mrs. A. M. Hume, chairman of the committee appointed to receive Christmas donations for the little folks at the Dorcas Home, has named the following as her assistants from the several churches: Baptist, Mrs. H. Kirk White; Congregational, Mrs. A. M. Bentley; Catholic, Miss Tillie O'Neil; Disciple, Miss Harriet Baker; Episcopal, Mrs. Charles Howard; Methodist, Mrs. D. M. Christian. Should there be more gifts than enough for the children at the home, the committee will give the same to the children of the worthy poor outside of the home.

Burton.

Dr. E. T. Wilson, of Owosso, was in town Friday.—Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Fleming entertained Rev. and Mrs. D. S. Cramer, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mason, Mr. James McWilliams and daughter, Miss Sarah, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cadz, and Mrs. E. C. Snyder at dinner last week.—L. D. Grant, of Lansing, was in town Monday.—The M. E. Aid Society met with Mrs. J. W. Rose, Wednesday.—Miss Lena Giles, of Owosso, was the guest of Miss Evangeline Cramer a part of last week.—Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Wilkin, of Rev. visited friends in this place a part of the week.—Messdames M. Pires, S. O. King and D. Griswold, of Ovid, were the guests of Mrs. John Potter, Thursday.—A. E. Cadz and wife were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Piddington, of Carleton, one day the first of the week.—Mrs. E. T. Wilson, of Owosso, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Green.—Mrs. Burdell, of Fishkill on Hudson, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Rose.—Mr. and Mrs. F. Seely, Mr. Giles and wife, Elder Spayd and son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. Markham, and Miss Lena Giles, of Owosso, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Randall, Thanksgiving.—Miss L. G. Williams was in Ovid the past week.

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